

PARKS REVITALIZATON PROGRAM TOWN MEETING







Parks Revitalization Program

• We Were Listening; What Changed from the Last Proposal:

- 1. Changed overall scope of the Town Beach Building to create a practical, multi-use facility.
- 2. Obtained funding of \$750,000 for the proposed Town Beach Building.
- 3. Eliminated concepts of relocating the athletic fields and creating new park entrances.
- 4. Revised parking plan.
- 5. Revitalized Cadigan Park outbuildings rather than build new.
- 6. Simplified design layouts for both parks, while saving all the practical benefits desired for the Parks Project.





Cadigan Park – Existing Conditions

- Park Inception Dates Back to 1968
- Playing Field Overuse Requiring Constant Maintenance
- Playing Field UNUSABLE Periods Compaction of Soils and Poor Drainage
- Inadequate Parking Layout
- Current Parking is for <u>Both</u> Locations (Cadigan Park and Town Beach)
- Tennis Courts are UNPLAYABLE and need Reconstruction
- No Usable Basketball Court
- Restrooms are in POOR Condition and Need Renovation
- No Continuous Walking Path Through Park





Town Beach – Existing Conditions

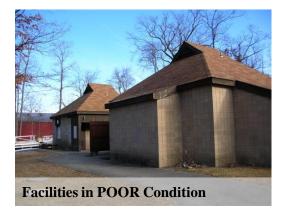
- Park Inception Dates Back to 1965
- Primary Sea Wall is Failing and Inadequate
- No On-Site Parking (Rely on Inadequate Cadigan Parking)
- Poor Handicapped Accessibility Due to Existing Steep Slopes
- Restroom and Changing Facilities in POOR Condition (Over 25 yrs. old)
- Defunct Basketball Court
- Severe Soil Erosion and Drainage Issues
- Inadequate Seating and Picnic Areas
- Small and Inaccessible Beach Area





Park Facilities - Existing Conditions

















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Poor Facility Conditions



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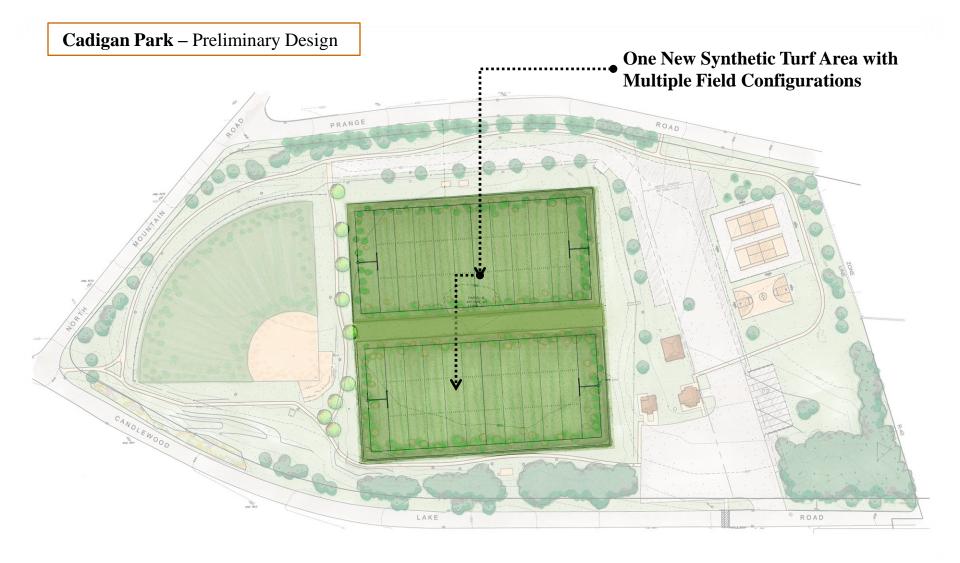
















Cadigan Park – Natural Turf vs. Synthetic Turf Fields





Natural Turf:

- Affected by Weather
- Drainage Issues
- Slow Recovery Growth
- Becomes UNPLAYABLE
- Bare Spots/Divots
- More cost to maintain



Synthetic Turf:

- Safety and Durability
- More Usage Time
- Lower Cost to Maintain
- Consistent field conditions
- No Bare Spots/Divots
- Lower cost to maintain

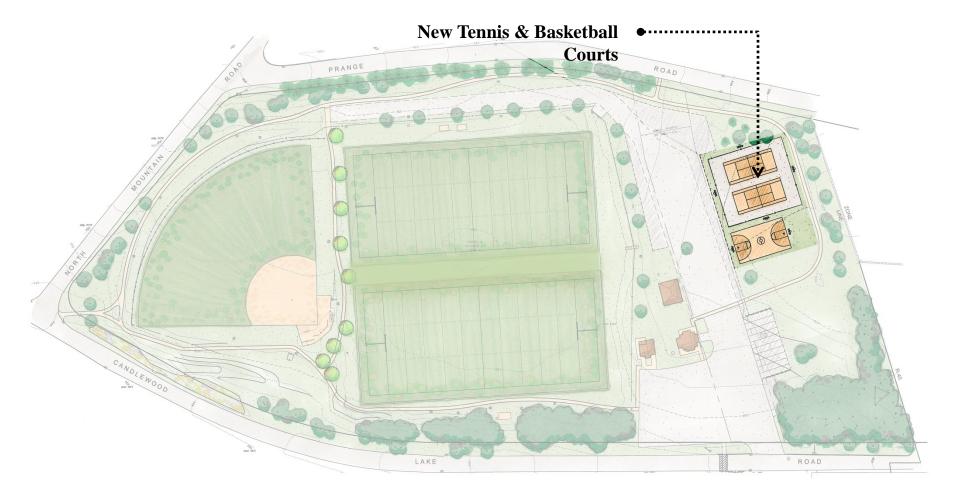






















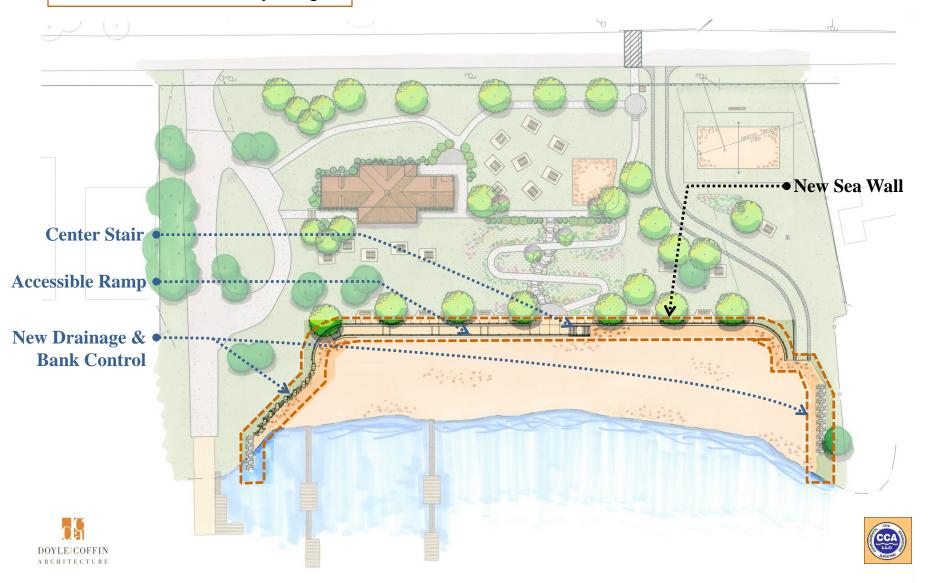


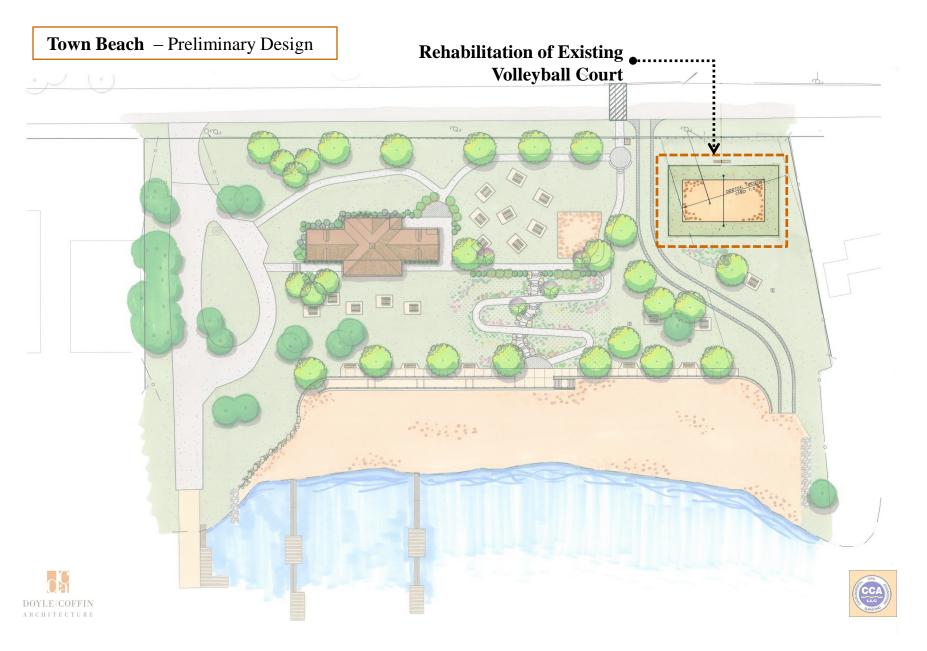


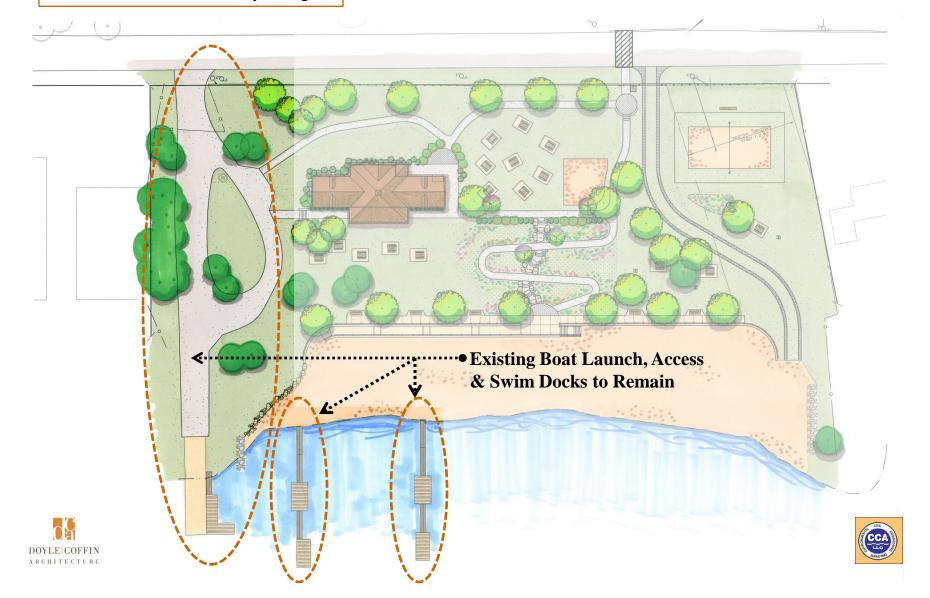


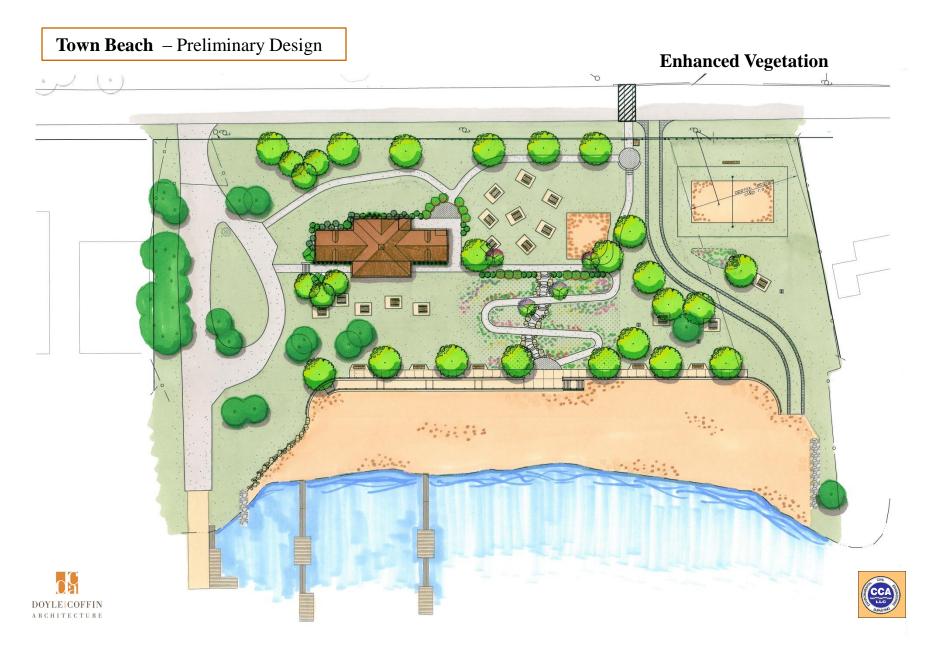


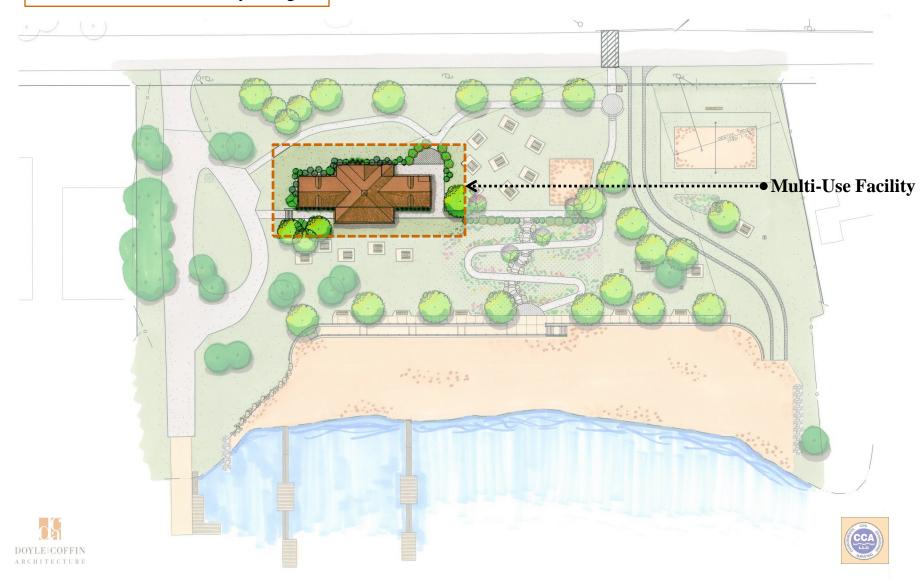












Town Beach – Existing Facilities







Town Beach Proposed Multi-Use Facility – Preliminary Design







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Budget Outline:

Brookfield, Connecticut

 Projected Cost for Proposed Town Beach Multi-Use Facility Projected Project Design Costs 	\$ 750,000 \$ 430,000
• Projected Town Soft Costs (legal, bidding, FFE, etc.)	\$ 90,000
 Projected Cost for Design & Construction 	\$ 4,720,000

• Estimated Construction Contingency \$ 400,000

• Escalation Percentage (yearly) <u>\$ 180,000</u>

• Projected Total for Project \$ 5,300,000

• Grant Funding from State of CT (July 2010) - <u>\$ 750,000</u>

• Projected Net Cost for Town \$ 4,550,000

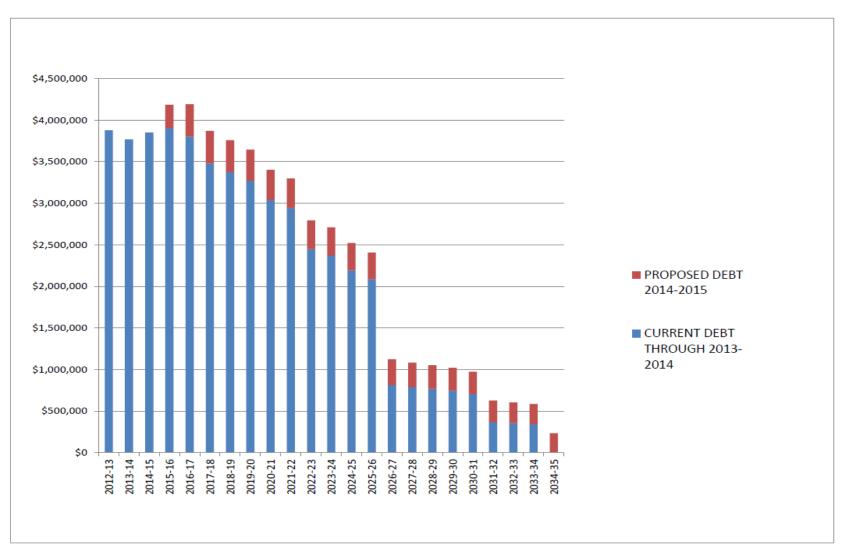
• Deduct for Contingency/Escalation - <u>\$ 580,000</u>

<u>Lowest Possible Cost if No Contingency/Escalation Used</u> \$ 3,970,000

NOTE-1: The above figures were compiled by a professional estimator in FY-2013.

NOTE-2: The above figures do not include Town financing costs for the project.

MUNICIPAL LONG TERM DEBT



THANK YOU!

